

# Commodity Categories and Subcategories Policy - 6.1.P (12/15/99)

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## Background - 6.1.P.1

The Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) is widely used by individual business firms for classification of their customers and suppliers in market research, as well as research and business organizations, and trade and professional associations to compile statistics supplementing those provided by Federal Agencies.


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## Policy - 6.1.P.2

It is Sandia's policy to promote the comparability of statistics describing various facets of the economy of the nation. SNL uses Commodity Codes as a tool to gather data for State and DOE reporting requirements. The structure of the Commodity Codes makes it possible to tabulate, analyze, and publish SNL data according to the level of detail considered most appropriate.

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